

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 09955.0047-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Frédéric FORTIN et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3733
	)	
Application No.: 10/505,469	)	Examiner: Woodall, Nicholas W.
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Filed: August 20, 2004	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 4004
For: FLEXIBLE VERTEBRAL	)	
LINKING DEVICE	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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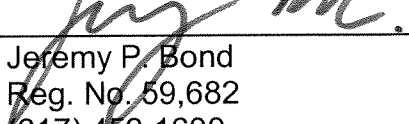
Sir:

Please find enclosed a Revocation of Power of Attorney Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) and Grant of New Power of Attorney for the above-referenced case matter. The enclosed Revocation of Power of Attorney replaces the previously filed Revocation of Power of Attorney dated October 19, 2007, that was erroneously filed on October 23, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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